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Applicant : Vincent DeGroot et al.
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Customer No. : 23364

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Introductory Comments

The following amendments and remarks are being submitted herewith pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.111 in response to the Office Action of July 23, 2008 in this RCE application.